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THIRTEENTH YEAR

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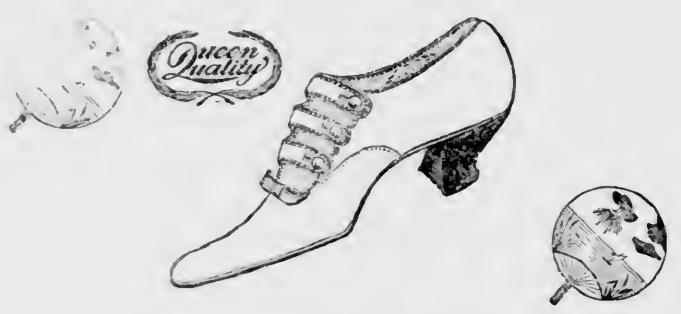
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LANCASTER, KY., THURSDAY AFTERNOON, APR. 10, 1902.

ONE DOLLAR A YEAR



READY
 — FOR —
SPRING TRADE
 With full line of
**Dry Goods, Fancy Notions,
 Corsets, Hosiery, Gloves
 MILLINERY.**
 Shoes, Slippers, Clothing,
 Hats, Shirts, Furnishing
 Goods, Men's & Boys Shoes



We can show the
best up to date stock
in Central Kentucky
Come to see us.

THE LOGAN DRY GOODS CO.

Not until you have seen the Gus
Sun American Minstrels can you say
you have seen the best.

Fiscal Court.

Four letters came in too late for this
issue. We must have them early in
the week.

A man never wants to be an angel
as long as he can make a living at anything else.

Another sprinkle of the "Beautiful",
fell Monday night. Verily, winter is
with us "for keeps."

Fishermen say the river is full of
"good-uns" this Spring. The chances
are they will stay there, too.

Last year Gus Sun's Minstrels were
voted fine. This year they are stronger
and better in every way.

Is this your paper, or did you send
over and borrow your neighbor's? If
you did, do not run up. Remember
you are getting what some other
fellow paid for.

New Telephone Card.

The RECORD office is preparing a
new telephone card. If you are thinking
of putting in a phone, do so at
once, while you can get your name in
the pot.

Delayed.

Some of our people were planning a
trip to Washington State, but snow
bound trains in the North west will
cause an indefinite delay. Early summer
is the time to visit that country.

Mr. Butler Hudson, brother of L. H.
Hudson, of Lower Garrard, was killed
by James Flynn, a prominent politician,
at Columbus, Ga., Monday. Politics
is said to have been the cause.

Parade in Afternoon.

The Gus Sun show comes from Leaven-
worth, and will not arrive till 3 p.m.,
the parade following immediately.
From here they jump to Somerset,
not showing at small villages like Dan-
ville, Richmond and Stanford.

In The Sun.

The Lancaster Oil Company has
purchased the Wage farm on Rich-
land creek in Knox county for \$25,000.
The famous Wage gusher is located
on this farm, and our company gets
all the rights of the former owner of
the land. It is believed that the com-
pany has made an investment that
will bring them a large sum of money.

A. No. 1.

Mr. E. D. Beiser, inspector for the
Hartford Steam Boiler Insurance Co.,
was here Monday and went over THE
Record's steam engine. He found it
o. k., and said it was one of the best
kept he ever saw. Mr. Beiser is a
gentleman, and one of the most expert
boiler men in the country.

Rev. Mr. Chunley Takes Charge.
A large congregation greeted Rev. C.
M. Chunley at the Presbyterian church
Sunday. All are well pleased and
believe the church will prosper under
his charge. Mr. Chunley is a pleasant
gentleman, and those who are judg-
ing in this matter say he is a splendid
preacher.

A Good Entertainment.

The Berea College Glee Club gave a
splendid entertainment at the Opera
House Friday night. The fact that
they were coming had not been suffi-
ciently advertised, or they would have
had a better audience, but as it was
only a few people heard them. The
troupe consists of students of the col-
lege, all white people, and their show
is worthy of liberal support.

A Word of Warning.

As smallpox has appeared in many
localities close to us, it is well enough
for the health authorities to begin
taking steps toward keeping out the
disease. The usual vacinating ordi-
nance can be issued as well now as it
can later on, and THE RECORD would
advise that the work begin at once.
A stitch in time saves making a pair
of breeches you know.

A Farewell Kiss.

A dollar spent at home helps pay
taxes, build churches, school houses,
and does a hundred other things that
benefit you. When about to spend a
dollar away from home, think of this,
and if you must send it away kiss it
good-bye, for it is gone forever. The
big mail-order houses will never think
enough of you to send it back here.

Good Show.

Quo Vadis was presented at the local
Opera House Tuesday night to a
fair audience. Considering the excel-
lent show, and its wide popularity, it
is surprising that a larger audience
was not present. People kick for
"Something refined and deep," and
when such plays are brought here
they don't patronize them. Such plays
are too stony to go anyway, and
ought to be the last to complain.

Dress-Making Establishment.

Mrs. Maggie Hobbs has fitted up an
elegant room just below THE RECORD
office, where she is prepared to cut, fit
and make dresses in the best possible
manner. She uses the celebrated
Work tailor system, which insures a
perfect fit. As soon as the weather
justifies, she will open an ice cream
parlor in connection, where ladies, es-
pecially, will be served with the best
cream and cake at reasonable prices.

Remember This.

Please do not call business houses by
phone unless you have something im-
portant to speak about. Business
men don't have the time or inclination
to quit work and be annoyed by trivial
matters. There's nothing so disgusting
as having to quit your work and
answer a telephone only to have some
girl ask "Willie Softhead there?" While
Willie may be there, yet Willie is
being paid pretty well to do something
else.

The Graded School.

Of all our recent improvements the
Graded School is the most substantial
and stands pre-eminently above them
all. It is instrumental in bringing
about the mental illumination and
the moral improvement of mankind,
and in creating a better citizenship.
It is the cause of our increase in pop-
ulation, and it has enhanced the value
of property, besides putting new enter-
prises on foot and giving new life
to business generally.

Tatty For The Record.

Cynthiana Democrat.—Louis Land-
ram's Lancaster Record has entered
upon its thirteenth year, and head's
hoping no bad luck will come its way.

Stanford Journal.—The Lancaster
Record is 12 years old and Bre-
landram has been at the helm seven
years. Kentucky has few cleaner or
better papers and her's hoping that
it may live long and prosper and that
its clever editor may some day get
rich enough to buy a share or so of
stock in Lincoln county's oil wells.

A Good Council.

Our Board of City Council is pro-
gressive, up-to-date and economical.
While they protect the interests of
individuals, they always have in view
the general welfare, and under their
administration, much will be done
that will enhance the value of proper-
ty and put Lancaster in line with our
sister cities. They have already con-
tracted with a firm which agrees to
bore for water, and guarantees a flow
of 50,000 gallons per day. If this is
not done it will cost nothing. If it is
a success, water-works will cost about
\$20,000 less than they would if we had
to pipe to the river. If the plant is
built at such a reduction, the Council
will be regarded as public benefactors.

Singer and Impersonator.

Elizabeth de Barrie Gill caught the
house at once and her very first selection
brought forth storm of applause.
She is perfect mistress of the platform
and Phoenixville public wants to hear
her again.—The Messenger, Phoenix-
ville, At Court House, Saturday
night, April 12. Benefit Baptist
church. Admission 35cts. Children
25cts. Tickets on sale at J. M. Log-
an's.

In The Sun.

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purchased the Wage farm on Rich-
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all the rights of the former owner of
the land. It is believed that the com-
pany has made an investment that
will bring them a large sum of money.

The street pageant and musical car-
nival given by the Gus Sun American
Minstrels daily is without a peer.
Don't fail to see it.

The "Coppers" to Organize.

Police, Sheriffs, Detectives and
all other officers of like duties will orga-
nize an association for the purpose of
a more systematic plan of capturing
criminals. They will meet in the
office of Chief of Detectives, Harry
Stough, of Lexington, on April 10th.
The committee that will meet there
is G. T. Helm, Danville; R. O. Hughes,
Somerset; John Thaynor, Nicholas-
ville, and Harry Stough, of Lexington.
This committee will decide on some
plan to make the organization perman-
ent and to extend over the State.

Hustlers Are Scarce.

It's almost impossible to employ a
boy who will stick to business and
hustle. Once in a while a good boy
will show up, but he is a curiosity
these days. We heard of a hustler in
Lexington, the other day. A prominent
business firm advertised for a boy,
application to be made in the
boy's own handwriting. They got
among others the following, scrawled
upon a sheet of wrapping paper:
"Dear Sir:—I would like your job.
I ain't got no folks and I hav't to hussel.
It beats h— how hard times is." The
boy got the job.

Not On Your List.

The other night, as a RECORD em-
ployee was entering the Opera House,
he heard a little dude, with a ten-dollar
hand-me-down suit, and a head
about the size of a walnut, remark:
"He gets in free." We are aware that this
is the general impression, and that is
why we say here that we gave that
show \$6.70 worth of advertising, in
return for which we received four
tickets, amounting to \$3. It would
suit us much better to pay cash and
receive cash from the show people,
but that's not the style, and we pub-
lish this to show that for every "free"
ticket a newspaper gets, it pays about
two or three times its worth in ad-
vertising, and a paper's space is for
sale the same as a groceryman sells
sugar and coffee.

A Revolution on Battle Row.

Chief of police S. D. Turner, and
his assistant, Mike Turner, at a late
hour of the night, raided several
abodes on the "chute" where chastity
is frequently disregarded, and arrested
a number of colored men and saible
damsels. They were taken before
Judge Ford, County attorney J. I.
Hamilton who is making an able pros-
ecutor, moved to dismiss the warrants
against four of the couples, provided
they would agree to be married at
once. They readily consented, the colored
minister was summoned, the county attorney
paid for licenses, they were married and went on
their way rejoicing. It is hoped that the
step will be taken by others and that the
marriage vows will be sacredly kept.
Others were arrested for running
"Blind Tigers" and one for running a
"Blind Lion," or selling cocaine
unlawfully. A few more such
raids, and the backbone of corruption
will be broken in that section.

Council Meeting.

At the meeting of the City Council
Monday night, it was decided to re-
quire all insurance companies doing
business in the town to pay a license
of \$5 per year. The tax rate was then
fixed at seventy-five cents. This was
done in order to raise the \$2,000 to pay
the water works debt, should the drilling
prove successful. Of course if water
is not found in sufficient quantity
the tax rate will be put back at the
present rate. It was further decided
that the test for water be increased
and the contract now reads that the
well is to furnish 50,000 gallons per
day for three consecutive days. The
contract has been entered into, and

as mentioned elsewhere in this issue,
if water is not found, it will cost the
town nothing. The Council is display-
ing "hoss" sense in this matter, and
the people should appreciate their ex-
cellent work.

Died in New Orleans.

News of the death of W. C. Bettis
was received from New Orleans yes-
terday. He was a brother of Miss
Anna Bettis, of this city, and was well
known by many of our citizens. He
was an upright, honest man, and popular
with all who had the pleasure of his
acquaintance.

Elegant Display.

The millinery openings brought a
large crowd to town Saturday, the
streets and stores being crowded all day.
All the stores, Misses Sallie Til-
lett, Noel Sisters and Logan's were
beautifully decorated, and the goods
displayed tastily. The designs this
season are unusually pretty, and the
stock displayed here being strictly up-
to-date, the ladies are charmed by the
beauty of the stocks. As we say
every Spring and Fall, you can find
just what you want here in Lancas-
ter, and we don't believe any prettier
or more stylish hats are shown any
where than right here. While the
goods are much handsomer and elaborate
than heretofore, yet the prices are
extremely low, and for a moderate
price you can get the very latest crea-
tions and effects. The RECORD would
advise the ladies who have not seen
these displays to come and look at them.
You will be surprised.

A Substantial Organization.

Those who are contemplating tak-
ing stock in the Danville Building and
Loan Association should speak to H.
G. Sandifer, Sam Lyons or C. N.
Smith about the number of shares
they wish to subscribe for. The new
series will be issued May first. The
fact that many investment compa-
nies over the country are breaking,
and that the local association is in a
prosperous condition is proof that an
institution conducted on sound busi-
ness principles, as this one is, should
be encouraged by all who wish to
save their earnings and ultimately
own their homes. There are many
here who regret today that their mon-
ey was not invested in the local com-
pany instead of foreign concerns which
took the bankrupt law and left them
nothing but worthless paper. Arrange
for your stock at once.—Advo-
cate.

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When You Buy Your

Harness

Buggies

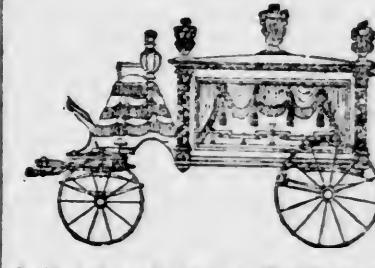
Road Wagon

HASELDEN

The Hardware Man.

J. A. Beazley & Co.

Funeral Directors.


arterial and Cavity Embalming
A Specialty.

Full Line of . . .

Furniture and Carpets.

R. L. Davidson,

Attorney At-Law.

Life insurance policies bought for
Cash, or loaned on for sums of
\$500 upward.

The Walk-Over Shoe.



Spring, 1902.

\$3.50 and 4.00

The same high excellence of design, quality and workmanship
which has characterized the WALK-OVER SHOE since its introduction
to the public, is found in the styles shown for spring 1902.

Long experience and great success in the manufacture of Men's
fine-welted Shoes have placed The Geo. E. Keith Co., makers of the
WALK-OVER, in an enviable position in the Shoe world. 1,958,000
pairs of shoes were made by them in their own factories during the
year ending November 25th, 1901. Only the best of stock, brains and
workmanship enters into WALK-OVER SHOES. WE SELL THE
WALK-OVER because we believe it to be the nearest approach to a
perfect shoe for men now in the market. Because we want your friend-
ship and trade. Because we believe we can have and retain both by
selling you these shoes. Prices here as everywhere, \$3.50 and \$4.00.
Call and see our stock of WALK-OVERS.

H. T. LOCAN

The One Price Clothier and Furnisher.

South-Eastern Kentucky Oil and Gas Company, Lancaster, Ky.

Par Value of Shares \$1.00. Full Paid and Non-Assessable.

OFFICERS: Lou. J. Craig, president; Geo. W. Palmer, vice president; C. D. Walker, treasurer; J. W. Aleorn, counsel; W. McC. Johnston, secretary.

Money is always made by those who get valuable information EARLY and act on it PROMPTLY; by those who go in at the START; by those who do "business" on the "ground floor"; there is no art in being late. It is those who are EARLY who make the MONEY. The KENTUCKY oil field is attracting the attention of the best oil men everywhere. Experts have pronounced it unquestionably the coming field for the production of high grade refining oils. The oil fields of New York, Pennsylvania and West Virginia are gradually becoming exhausted, while Texas provides fuel oil only. The great fortunes made in oil in those states will be duplicated many times in Kentucky in the next five years. The only question is, who shall reap this harvest.

Realizing this fact, this company has been quietly, acquiring the cream of the oil property in this

State, and knowing the importance of having its development in the hands of a trained oil expert has secured as its manager and President, Mr. Lou J. Craig, who is up to this time the most successful oil producer in the State.

His discovery and development of the splendid oil pool in the Bath-Menee oil fields eight months ago, until then not even suspected of being there but now containing over thirty wells all strong producers, stamps him the foremost in Kentucky Oil Development. For every dollar then invested there, on the "ground floor," on his judgment; he now shows \$1,000 in oil already produced, from which all feel assured investors in our company are protected as far as human foresight and wisdom can provide in oil development and operations.

OUR PROPERTIES.—By acting promptly, our company has se-

cured about ten thousand acres of the very choicest oil properties in practically all the developed fields in the State. We are now drilling in the splendid Bath-Menee field where we hope to bring in a strong well very shortly. We have also just closed a contract to sink a number of wells on our property right in the center of the oil field of Knox county within 60 days. Our property there lies on the famous Richland Creek oil field, near and in sight of both the Jones and Wages gushers, estimated at twelve hundred barrels each per day. When the Wages gusher came in on Christmas day, it was beyond control for three days and in spite of all efforts to cap it, overflowed for seven miles down the creek, catching fire and destroying the drilling machinery, trees, drift, and everything along the creek for seven miles. Our property is just

between these wells and the Indian Creek wells; is just above and immediately adjoining the Hutchings well that came in last week, and where four wells are now under contract. We are just below and in sight of the famous Jarvis well, regarded as one of the very best in the Field. The property adjoining us above and just between us and the Jarvis well, is to be developed in April and several other tracts within a few hundred yards of us are to be drilled as soon as derricks can be erected and machinery placed. Not less than 100 other wells are under contract in the vicinity, so we are entirely surrounded by this development and are right in the center of this splendid Oil Pool, having strong producers on the four sides of us which absolutely insures prompt returns to our investors.

The Hutchings, Swan Lake and

other Companies, operating in this oil pool have promptly withdrawn their stock from safe and we believe we are the only company in this immediate oil field who has not done so. For the purpose of raising funds for immediate development, including tanks and pipeline, our company now offers for sale Twenty Thousand Shares of its capital stock at par \$1.00 per share, in amounts from one share up.

Every purchaser of stock will own an interest in all the properties of this company. Those who got in on the "ground floor" in the Stickford, Sunny Brook, Mt. Sterling and several other companies, here only a few months ago have already cleared hundreds of thousands of dollars, and it will grow to millions during this year, and we are offering you the same opportunity to share in the same good fortune.

IN CONCLUSION:—We guarantee that every dollar derived from the sale of the treasury stock in the company shall be economically and wise as human foresight can provide, expended in the development of Company's property.

That no officer of this company shall receive one cent of salary until the company has reached a dividend-paying basis and has actually PAID at least ONE HUNDRED PER CENT. in dividends to all the holders of its capital stock.

If you desire to invest, invest NOW. We need your money NOW for development purposes. We will NOT need it LATER. When we have brought in the first two wells, the stock will be withdrawn from sale entirely.

We refer to every Bank or business house in Garrard County. Address all communications to the Secretary.

Fleet horses are the fleetest,
In Kentucky,
Rich people are the greatest,
Big foots all talk the loudest,
And big dogs bark how-low-lowest,
In Kentucky.

The Railroad Brakeman,
Is a man of few words,
Handles his train,
Do you ever hear him say,
Patient tresser of all,
In the steamer he is a cool,
He is a hard worker,
Rides outside of his car,
Receiving not the credit he deserves.

In the pleasant summer weather,
Stand him on the platform and see,
How he carries his load so well,
As he dashes along the track,
While he totes the lumber, etc.,
Sodden with sweat, he toils,
Gone is the quiet, shadowed car,
But when winter's by degree.

Covered with snow and sand,
And the north wind has a mind,
Using his clothes as a screen,
Then about the cold snow comes,
Strung to his sleds the logs and
Rides over the snowdrifts,
God protect him if he falls.

Do not soon forget our Kentucky,
He will give you safety for a while;
Then comes a train along the track,
Do not be afraid to go with him;
Speak to him in kindly language,
The old clothes are worn and tattered,
For he is a hard worker,
A horse that feels both joy and pain.

He may have a hopeful morn,
He may be her greatest joy;
Perhaps in her innocence's praying
For him to be a good boy;
He's no liver but his good mother,
Thinking for her boy to be present,
Aye, when he's a good boy,
Every time she draws his pay.

Did you ever see a Kentucky,
One in a poor or up-hill road,
Sends the poor infirm a welcome
To his home, and a kind word;
When we see our evergreen pine,
Note what its filled organs say—
One who's in trouble and in need,
"Come and help me, I'm sick to-day."

In our little family cottage,
Waiting in the warm light,
Sits the lack-luster brakeman—another
Sickly expert in his art,
Some here, some there, fatal message,
"Send me money, I'm poor,"
As she reads the fatal story,
"Sick while coupling cars to-day."

We Can Save Money For You!

When you come to town, don't fail to take a look at our stock. Remember, we have the OLD HICKORY WAGON, all sizes, and the largest and best selection of SURREIES, PHAETONS, BUGGIES and ROAD WAGONS ever put on the market in Lancaster.

We also have a fine lot of Wagon Gear, Breeching, Lines, Traces Hames and Hame Strings, Collars, Pads, Breast Chains, etc., as well as a splendid assortment of Buggy Harness. These goods were bought right and we can save you money. Come and see us and we will prove this to be a fact.

Romans & Elmore.

CENTRAL RECORD.

An independent, local newspaper.—Issued weekly.

LOUIS LANDRAM, Editor and Publisher.

Lancaster, Ky April 10th 1902.

The effort of the Louisville Commercial Club to raise funds for a suitable Kentucky exhibit at the St. Louis fair is commendable and should receive the support of the people. The failure of the Legislature to make suitable appropriations was a great mistake. Fifty thousand dollars donated by the state would have made a good showing, provided the commissioners appointed would have been business men instead of a lot of red-nosed politicians appointed only on their "pull." We believe the plan for every citizen to give one dollar will work well, and if proper parties are selected in each locality the amount can be raised in a short time.

ECONOMY can be overdone, says a thoughtful exchange. A fellow who works hard all his life can die owning broad acres, stocks and bonds, notes and cash for heirs to quarrel over. He can go without the comforts of life, denying himself all luxuries; he is roundly hated by all he deals with for his close, stingy ways; may choose dollars instead of friends, and never see a day of rest, amassing wealth for those who never care for him and who only waited for him to be out of the way to reap the reward for his skimping and labor.

A YOUNG lady wrote the Louisville Times to know what would prevent snoring. The "Questions and Answers" man told her that snoring was caused from sleeping with the mouth open, and if she could stop this she would be bothered no more. It's a safe bet the Times man is single, for if he were tied up in double blessedness he would be painfully aware of the fact that it is impossible for the average woman to keep her mouth shut at any time.

The great actor, Nat Goodwin, has decided to star in the "Light Which Failed." He may put this play "on" everywhere else, but when he goes to Louisville he will doubtless put on "The Cards I failed to draw." (Our readers will remember that Nathan Hale lost some \$17,000 in a poker game in the Falls City last winter.)

UNCLE SAM demonstrated the careful watch he keeps over his children when he stopped the mails of the Lexington Investment companies, and raised the cry, "Fraud!" The old fellow can be relied upon to do the square thing every time, and its sel-

dom a rascal can use his mail.

A KENTUCKIAN has written to his representative for volumes of the congressional Record containing obituaries, saying "there is nothing I read with so much pleasure as obituaries of dead congressmen." The best humor is unconscious.

The "Female Baseball Club" is touring Kentucky, and we understand Harry McCarty, of the Jessamine team, is counting the days 'till its appearance in Nicholasville with the eagerness that the small boy figures on the circus.

Conclave at Versailles.

The fifty-fifth annual Conclave of the Grand Commander of Kentucky, Knights Templar, will be held at Versailles on Wednesday and Thursday, May 21 and 22. It promises to be one of the largest ever held in the State. Preparations have been made to entertain at least 1,000 Knights and ladies.

Versailles commander No. 3 will keep "open house" during the entire time and a number of delightful entertainments are being provided for the occasion. Among other features there will be an exhibition drill—in which several Commanders have already entered—grand receptions, balls, lawn fetes and carriage drives to the stock-farms and historic homes of Woodford county. There will be things to eat and drink and good fellowship on tap at Woodford's beautiful and hospitable capital for three solid days and nights. The entertainment accorded Jonah by the whale was positively frigid in comparison with the warm reception that Versailles Commander will have in readiness for its guests.

The Committee on Decoration has arranged for a lavish display, and the entire city will be dressed in gala attire, while eight brass bands will charm the soul with music galore.

The First Regiment Band of Cincinnati (20 pieces) has been engaged to play during the Conclave at Versailles Commander's headquarters.

In short, the little pot will be encased in the big pot and the proverbial latches will be found dangling on the weather side of the doors.

Good for Rheumatism.

Last fall I was taken with a very severe attack of muscular rheumatism which caused me great pain and annoyance. After trying several prescriptions and rheumatic cures, I decided to use Chamberlain's Pain Balm, which I had seen advertised in the South Jeoseyman. After two applications of this remedy I was much better, and after using one bottle was completely cured—Sallie Harris, Salem, N. J. For sale by R. E. McRoberts, druggist. Im

GARRARD COUNTY'S ASSESSMENT.

Interesting Facts and Figures About Land, Live Stock, Crops and Other Property.

The board of supervisors having completed the revision of the Assessor's books for this year, the Record is able to lay before its readers the totals, that will prove interesting.

In the preparation of this statement, that clever gentleman, Judge M. D. Hughes, rendered valuable assistance.

Compared with the assessments of former years, and considering the stringency of the times, this assessment seems to be fair. The average value of land is a little higher than last year, but the valuation of live stock, etc., is somewhat below that of last year—and properly so. The Agricultural statistics are not supposed to be correct, of course, but they are interesting.

The supervisors did their work conscientiously and well, as any one must have observed who saw them at work. The results below shown are not necessarily final, however, as the State Board of Equalization may alter them.

THE ASSESSMENT.

Bonds, value..... \$ 7,300
Notes secured by mortgages 162,530
Other notes..... 204,226
Accounts, value..... 22,922
Cash on hand..... 60,239
Cash deposited in bank..... 106,839
Cash deposited with other corporations..... 200
All other credits or money at interest..... 450
Stock in foreign corporations..... 122,037

139,137 acres of land..... 2,983,500
434 town lots..... 412,800
1 Thoroughbred stallion..... 150
3 Stallions, common..... 200
1,138 Mules..... 56,635
18 Jacks..... 1,875
27 Jennies..... 400
6 Thoroughbred or standard bulls..... 170
6 Thoroughbred or standard cows and calves..... 425
8,837 Bulls, cows, calves, steers, common..... 165,943
8,174 sheep..... 15,090
9,825 hogs..... 44,356
Farming implements..... 5,561
Agricultural products for taxation 1901..... 1,625
Carriages, buggies, etc..... 37,244
Sewing machines, value..... 2,737
Safes, value..... 970
Household and kitchen furniture..... 85,150
Musical instruments..... 9,680
Raw material for use in manufacturing..... 45
Paintings..... 100
Libraries, 1,960 volumes..... 2,185
Diamonds..... 1,555
Watches and clocks..... 4,116
Jewelry..... 455
Gold, silver and plated ware..... 2,172
Steam engines, including boilers..... 4,400
Water Craft..... 1,000
Brick, stone and other building material..... 1,500
60 Stores..... 108,803
Miscellany..... 9,575
Net Total valuation for taxation..... 4,550,504
Number of voters..... 2,546

AGRICULTURAL STATISTICS.

Pounds of hemp..... 1,785,950
Pounds of tobacco..... 603,905
Tons of hay..... 2,240
Bushels of corn..... 34,075
Bushels of wheat..... 87,936
Bushels of oats..... 11,180
Bushels of grass seed..... 210

A Good Thing.

German Syrup is the special prescription of Dr. A. Boschee, a celebrated German Physician, and is acknowledged to be one of the most fortunate discoveries in Medicine. It quickly cures Coughs, Colds and all Lung troubles of the severest nature, removing, as it does, the cause of the affection and leaving the parts in a strong and healthy condition. It is not an experimental medicine, but has stood the test of years, giving satisfaction in every case, which its rapidly increasing sale every season confirms. Two million bottles sold annually. Boschee's German Syrup was introduced in the United States in 1868, and is now sold in every town and village in the civilized world. Three doses will relieve any ordinary cough. Price 75 cents. Get Green's Special Almanac Stormes drug store. Im

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WALLACETON.

Misses Smith and Hiramrod, of Berea, made a brief visit to the family of J. Baker last Saturday.

The home here, belonging to Jesse Kinnard and being converted into a two story building, is nearing completion.

If C. Kinnard and wife, of Berea, attended Sunday school here Sunday, and were the guests of E. W. Baker and family.

Eb Grant and family, and Miss Martha Weaver, left a few days ago for Illinois, where they will make their home.

The Baptist Sunday school here held its annual election of officers and teachers last Sunday afternoon. Mr. J. S. Cade was re-elected Superintendent.

Wm. Fitzpatrick a few days ago had a ewe to give birth to a lamb with only one head, but double in other respects; two bodies, eight legs and feet, two tails, etc. The lamb did not live, however.

On next Saturday, the 12th, at 11 o'clock, a meeting of "all persons interested in building a new church" is called for the purpose of talking over the matter, laying plans, etc. It is hoped that large number will prove their interest in the matter by their presence at that time.

Prayer meeting every Wednesday night at the school house. Every body invited.

John D. Hardwick says he is going to open his shop again Monday. John works one day and lays up two.

It has been some time since we had a wedding in Lowell, but don't guess it will be as long at it has been before we have one.

Mrs. Milford Lee is visiting her brother at Lancaster, Mr. Jas. Todd.... Mrs. Will Howe is very sick at this writing.... Mrs. Ann Broaddus, who has been quite sick is some better at this writing.... Mr. Jas. Burrows has returned to his old home after a long visit to his sisters.... Mr. A. T. Hardwick went to Lancaster Monday, where he will work in Mr. Romans' carriage shop.... Mrs. George McKenney, who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Birtle Brown, returned to her home in Winchester last week.... Louis Morgan and family, also Dack Inman and family visited J. M. Meadows, Sunday.

Miss Patti Dickerson, of Nicholasville, is the guest of Miss Carrie Boulden.... Mrs. Eliza Ballard has returned from a three weeks' visit to relatives in Lexington.... Miss N. Bourne is visiting relatives in Nicholasville.

Mr. and Mrs. Dickerman spent Saturday with Mrs. Mag. Folger, of Nicholasville.... Mrs. Armstrong entertained Rev. Derby, Sunday at dinner.... Squire Ike Dunn's son Dave, is on the sick list.

Wants To Help Others.

"I had stomach trouble all my life," says Edw. Mehler, proprietor of the Union Bottling Works, Erie, Pa., and tried all kinds of remedies, went to several doctors and spent considerable money trying to get a moment's peace. Finally I read of Kodol Dyspepsia Cure and have been taking it to my great satisfaction. I never found its equal for stomach trouble and gladly recommend it in hope that it may help other sufferers." Kodol Dyspepsia Cure cures stomach troubles. You don't have to eat. Kodol Dyspepsia Cure digests what you eat.

SEE THEM!

CORN-PLANTERS

DISC

SHOE

2 horse

1 horse.

K. F. POSTLE,
Successor to J. C. Robinson.

SUCCESS WAS OURS

At our Opening last Saturday. Every one who visited our store, agreed that we had the prettiest hats and the most elaborate display ever before seen in Lancaster. We want the confidence of the people and feel assured we can gain it by fair dealing and correct styles. Come and see our hats, we are always glad to have you. Respectfully,

NOEL SISTERS.

About The People.

Mrs C D Powell is visiting relatives in Arkansas.

Senator Geo. T. Harris has been at home this week.

Mrs Letcher Owsley and baby, have returned from Louisville.

Miss Alberta Hilton visited relatives in Broadhead, Sunday.

Miss Altie Groves, of Cincinnati, is the guest of Miss Elsie Zimmer.

Mrs Ellie Betts, of Lexington, spent a few days with Lancaster relatives.

Mrs Thos Robinson, of Houstonville, has been visiting relatives in Lancaster.

Mrs Wm Anderson, of Paint Lick, has been the guest of Mrs J S Robinson.

The little baby of Mr and Mrs Jesse Walden is much improved and will recover.

Mrs John M Farra is visiting her sister, Mrs George McRoberts, in Covington.

Ed Minor has gone to Nebraska to work on another big contract for mill-building.

Miss Nora Francis, of Richmond, has been the guest of relatives for a few days.

Miss Beazley and Harris, of Crab Orchard, were guest of Dr. Beazley and family.

Mrs. Wm. Myers, of Lincoln county, has been the guest of Mrs. J. H. Simpson.

Mrs. W. C. Westmoreland, of Valcota, Fla., is visiting her father, Mr. T. J. Hatcher.

Miss Altie Marksby and Mrs Louis Landrau are spending a few days in Cincinnati.

Master "Jack" Teray Burnside has about recovered from his recent tussle with pneumonia.

Mrs. W O Bradley and charming daughter, Miss Christine, have returned.

Potatoes
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Onion Sets
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We are the Leaders.
Henry Duncan,
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Cirnealical Absciss.
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All Work Physiognomically Executed.

New Undertaker.

Alex Miller has bought a fine horse and stock of Undertaker's goods and is prepared to superintend burials. He has a well selected stock. dec-19t

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MARSBURY.

J hn Parks sold a few days ago a horse for \$80, he also sold a mule to Mr Hubble for \$75.

Mr James Aldridge, of Hiattsville, is visiting relatives here.... Miss Minnie Johnson, of Lancaster, has been spending a few days with friends at Marcelus and Marksby.... Mrs. John Royston, who has been quite sick for several days is improving.... George Boner left last week for Kansas City, where he has a position.... Joe Aldridge has been quite sick with pneumonia.... Mrs. Sam Hughes and children, of Danville, are guests of Mrs. N. H. Bogle.... Mrs. Katherine Aldridge, of Lancaster, is the guest of her son, H. D. Aldridge.... Mr Sparks and family have moved to the place near here, known as the Daniel Burdett farm.... Mr. J. R. Haselden and wife, of Lancaster, visited relatives here, Sunday.... Misses Halle Rice and Sallie Herring were in Danville shopping Saturday. Charles Durham purchased of Frank Parks a pair of young work mules for \$200.

PAINT LICK.

Mr John Todd went to Louisville on business this week.

Farmers are so busy now they hardly take time to eat.

Try a barrel of Ballards Obelisk Flour. R. L. Jennings.

Mr. Jack Maret, of Neosho, Mo., is here visiting relatives.

Paint Lick will not stay behind, there is a prospect for an oil boom here.

Mrs Minnie Jennings will have another millinery opening Saturday.

Mrs Ann Broadbudd, who has been so low with pneumonia is said to be improving.

Owing to it being such a bad night, Ed. J. W. Master's didn't address the people here.

Thieves are getting so bold here they will take the double-tree off of your wagon along the road.

E C Walton, of the Interior Journal was here Friday shaking hands with the boys and taking in the cash.

Salem Wallace, Jr., who has been attending college at Lexington, was at home with the old folk this week.

Mr H Blount has taken the agency for the McCormack harvesting machines. He is a hustler, and will make the company a good man.

We heard some ladies talking about the pretty hats and nice dresses they saw at church Sunday, but they didn't say anything about the sermon.

Mr Wm Lane, of Winchester, is visiting relatives here.... Miss Margaret Sandusky, our school teacher, went home Friday to see the homefolk.

Sam Jennings has sold out his saddlery and harness business to Moore & Champ. Sam will be connected with the firm and make new work and do the repairing.

Get Ready for Spring.—We can show you a very handsome line of carpets, rugs, curtains, furniture etc at lower prices than larger towns. Come and let us convince you. R. L. Jennings & Co.

Your Lowell correspondent says there was about 20 gallons of whisky slipped from here to Lowell last month. Well the fellow that slipped it was a total stranger, else he never would have slipped less than a barrel over there.

Henry Beazley has built a nice eotage house on his lot and rented out for two years before he finished it. Houses are in demand here, and if some more of the land owners would put up a nice lot of houses they would make good interest on their money.

Stanford Journal:—Dr A S Price is back from Danville considerably improved, we are glad to state.... E. G. Brown, of the Lancaster Record, was in town yesterday in the interest of that good paper.

Miss Carrie B Woods came down with the Berea Glee Club and sang a solo, which was much enjoyed. Miss Woods is stenographer for President Frost, a position which is responsible and quite lucrative.

Editor Edgar Albright, of the Mt. Vernon Signal, passed up to Richmond the other day, whither he went to ride the goat in the Elks Lodge. As he passed back on No. 5 that night, it is said he was standing.

W. A. Arnold has been critically ill for several days. He has been in bad health for some weeks, but was considered better up to Sunday, when he took a change for the worse. He is suffering from kidney trouble.

Col. "Bob" Jackson, of London, was in town the other day on business connected with one of the coal mines up that way. "Bob" is a mighty clever fellow, and makes friends of all with whom he comes in contact.

Mr. John E. Stormes was in Louisville this week attending a meeting of the State Board of Pharmacy. Its the duty of the Board to look after the pill-rollers of the state.

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Parents' Responsibility Great

It is the right of every child to be well born, and to the parents it must look for health and happiness. How incomparably great is the parents' responsibility, and how important that no taint of disease is left in the blood to be transmitted to the helpless child, entailing the most painful suffering, and marking its little body with offensive sores and eruptions, catarrh of the nose and throat, weak eyes, glandular swellings, brittle bones, white swelling and deformity.

How can parents look upon such little sufferers and not reproach themselves for bringing so much misery into the world? If you have any disease lurking in your system, how can you expect well developed, healthy children? Cleanse your own blood and build up your health, and you have not only enlarged your capacity for the enjoyment of the pleasures of life, but have discharged a duty all parents owe to posterity, and made mankind healthier and happier.

There is no remedy that so surely reaches deep-seated, stubborn blood troubles as S. S. S. It scourges out even hereditary poisons, and removes every taint from the blood, and builds up the general health. If weaklings are growing up around you, right the wrong by putting them on a course of S. S. S. at once. It is a purely vegetable medicine, harmless in its effects, and can be taken by both old and young without fear of any bad results.

Write us about your case, and let our physicians advise and help you. This will cost you nothing, and we will also send our book on blood and skin diseases.

THE SWIFT SPECIFIC CO., Atlanta, Ga.



JUBSON.

The past winter was a colder. Farmers are losing no time now preparing to plant another crop.

Rob Scott, who is famous as a blacksmith of superior ability has located at Bourne.

The people of our village and vicinity are much elated because we are to have water-works soon. Get plenty water and need works.

Miss Ruth Stone has a tabby cat with four kittens about three weeks old. On Easter night she brought in a live rabbit, not more than five days old, adopted it, and nursed it with same care as her own. It lived until Wednesday of last week. We believe had it not been so very young she would have succeeded in raising it.

Recently it was necessary to use blood-hounds in Judson. They did their work so well that a moral wave has struck the community, at least a desire to go to church has taken possession of several who, heretofore, rarely ever went. May the good work continue. We think the arrangement between the county court and city of Lancaster to possess a pair of bloodhounds, both timely and wise.

Foley's Kidney Cure makes kidneys and bladder right. Don't delay taking.

Idle bodies are generally busy bodies

Try Chamberlain's Stomach & Liver Tablets, the best physic. For sale by R E McRoberts, druggist.

Don't live in Idleburg.

A Chattanooga Druggist's Statement.

Robt. J. Miller, Proprietor of the Read House Drug Store of Chattanooga, Tenn., writes: "There is more merit in Foley's Honey and Tar than in any other cough syrup. The calls for it multiply wonderfully and we sell more of it than all other cough syrups combined."

Idle people are dead people that you don't buy.

Wields A Sharp Ax.

Millions marvel at the multitude of maladies cut off by Dr. King's New Life Pills—the most distressing too.

Stomach, Liver and Bowel troubles—Dyspepsia, Loss of Appetite, Jaundice, Biliousness, Fever, Malaria, all fall before these wonder workers. 25c at R E McRoberts, Lancaster, Fish & Co. Paint Lick.

It is a great weariness to do nothing.

Neglect Means Danger.

Don't neglect biliousness and constipation. Your health will suffer permanently if you do. DeWitt's Little Early Risers cure such cases.

M B Smith, Buttermilk, Mich., says DeWitt's Little Early Risers are the most satisfactory pills I ever took.

Frank Holtzclaw bought of John Naylor two shot-shots for \$10.

Taylor House bought of Wm. Huff, one mule for \$120.

W R Hocker, of Stanford, called on his best girl in this vicinity Thursday night. Quite a number of our people in this vicinity have been attending the meeting at Lawson Chapel. They report that much interest is being manifested, and large crowds in attendance.

Shot to His Left Leg.

For all kinds of sores, burns, bruises or other wounds DeWitt's Hazel Salve is a sure cure. Skin diseases yield to it at once. Never fails in case of piles. Cooling and healing. None genuine but DeWitt's. Beware of counterfeiters. "I suffered for many years from a sore caused by a gun shot wound in my left leg," says A S Fuller, English, Ind. "It would not heal and gave me much trouble. I used all kinds of remedies to no purpose until I tried DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. A few boxes completely cured me."

He who is doing nothing is seldom without helpers.

Better Than Pills.

The question has been asked, "In what way are Chamberlain's Stomach & Liver Tablets superior to pills?" Our answer is: They are easier and more pleasant to take, more mild and gentle in effect and more reliable as they can always be depended upon.

Then they cleanse and invigorate the stomach and leave the bowels in a natural condition, while pills are more harsh in effect and their use is often followed by constipation. For sale by R E McRoberts.

Laziness begins with cobwebs, and ends with iron chains.

Herbines Cures.

Fever and Ague. A dose will usually stop a chill, a continuance always cures. Mrs. Wm. M. Stroud, Midlothian, Texas, May 31, 1898, writes: "We have used Herbines in our family for eight years, and found it the best medicine we have ever used, for grippe, bilious fever, and malaria."

50c at R E McRoberts. 1m

Laziness is nothing unless you carry it out.

Save the Loved Ones!

Mrs. Mary A. Niles, Newcastle, Colo., writes: "I believe Ballard's Horehound Syrup is superior to any other cough medicine, and will do all that is claimed for it, and it is so pleasant to take. My little girl wants to take it when she has no need for it."

Ballard's Horehound Syrup is the great cure for all pulmonary ailments. 25c, 50c and \$1.00 at R E McRoberts.

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Laziness travels so slowly that poverty soon overtakes him.

A Nearly Fatal Runaway

Started a horrible ulcer on the leg of J B Orner, Franklin Grove, Ill., which defied doctors and all remedies for four years. Then Bucklin's Arnica Salve cured him. Just as good for Boils, Burns, Bruises, Cuts, Corns, Scalds, Skin Eruptions and Piles. 25c at R E McRoberts, Lancaster, Fish & Co. Paint Lick.

It has developed that the recent Kentucky Legislature passed a resident fire insurance agents' bill after all, though the impression at the time of its adjournment was that the measure had been killed.

The appealed case of the commonwealth vs. Caleb Powers will be briefed in the appellate court early in the spring term and a decision reversing or sustaining the Scott circuit court will probably be handed down before June. The grounds the defense present for reversal are that Judge Cantrell refused to vacate the bench at Georgetown and other points.

The Receiver of the Industrial Mutual Deposit Company, one of the Lexington Investment Companies, gives a startling account of the way those things were managed. The report says the only stockholders were five men two of whom, Rev. J. H. Baker and Wm. N. Bush, formerly lived in this country. They subscribed \$1,000 each but only paid in five dollars each in cash. Since May 1900 these five men have drawn out in dividends \$21,000 besides other sums 50c at R E McRoberts.

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A pound of idleness weighs twenty ounces.

Beauty and Strength

Are desirable. You are strong and vigorous, when your blood is pure. Many—nay, most—women fail to properly digest their food, and so become pale, sallow, thin and weak, while the brightness, freshness and beauty of the skin and complexion, depart. Remedy this unpleasanctile, by eating nourishing food, and taking a small dose of Herbine after each meal, to digest what you have eaten.

50c at R E McRoberts.

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Herbine

acts on the

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Malarial, Bilious, Remitting and inter-

mitting Fevers, and, by going to the seat of the

trouble, works permanent cure.

FIFTY CENTS PER BOTTLE.

JUBSON.

A Doctor's Bad Night.

"Two years ago, as a result of a severe cold, I lost my voice," writes Dr. M L Scarbrough, of Hebron, Ohio. "Then began an obstinate cough. Every remedy known to me as a practicing physician for 35 years, failed, and I daily grew worse. Being urged to try Dr King's New Discovery for consumption, coughs and colds, I found quick relief, and for last ten days have felt better than for two years." Positively guaranteed for Throat and Lung troubles by R E McRoberts, Lancaster, Fish & Co. Paint Lick. 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottles free.

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A lazy spirit is a losing spirit.

A Valuable Medicine For Coughs and Colds in Children.

"I have not the slightest hesitancy in recommending Chamberlain's Cough Remedy to all who are suffering from coughs or colds," says Chas. M. Cranmer, Esq., a well known watch maker, of Colombo, Ceylon. "It has been some two years since the City Dispensary first called my attention to this valuable medicine and I have repeatedly used it and it has always been beneficial. It has cured me quickly of all chest colds. It is especially effective for children and seldom takes more than one bottle to cure them of hoarseness. I have persuaded many to try this valuable medicine, and they are all as well pleased as myself over the results. For sale by R E McRoberts, druggist.

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Nothing falls into the mouth of a sleeping fox.

Saved Many a Time.

Don't neglect coughs and colds even if it is spring. Such cases often result seriously at this season just because people are careless. A dose of One Minute Cough Cure will remove all danger. Absolutely safe. Acts at once. Sure cure for coughs, colds, croup, grip, bronchitis, and other throat and lung troubles. "I have used One Minute Cough Cure several years," says Postmaster C. O. Dawson, Barr, Ill. "It is the very best cough medicine on the market. It has saved me many a severe spell of sickness and I warmly recommend it." The children's favorite.

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An idle brain is the devil's workshop.

The most miserable beings in the world are those suffering from Dyspepsia and Liver complaint. More than seventy-five per cent. of the people in the United States are afflicted with these two diseases and their effects: such as Sour Stomach, Sick Headache, Habitual Costiveness, Palpitation of the Heart-burn, Water-brash, Grawling and Burning Pains at the Pit of the Stomach, Yellow Skin, Coated Tongue and Disagreeable Taste in the Mouth, Coming up of the Food after Eating, Long Spirits, etc. Go to your Druggist and get a bottle of August Flower for 75 cents. Two doses will relieve you. Try it. Get Green's Special Almanac, Stomach drug store.

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He slumbers enough who does nothing.

The Great Dismal Swamp

Of Virginia is a breeding ground of Malaria germs. So is low, wet or marshy ground everywhere. These germs cause weakness, chills and fever, aches in the bones and muscles, and may induce dangerous maladies. But Electric Bitters never fail to destroy them and cure malarial troubles. They will surely prevent typhoid.

"We tried many remedies for Malaria and Stomach and Liver troubles," writes John Charleston, of Byesville, O., "but never found anything as good as Electric Bitters." Try them. 50c. R E McRoberts, Lancaster, Fish & Co. Paint Lick, guaranteed satisfaction.

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Make your affairs known in the market place and one will call them black and another white.

Kodol Dyspepsia Cure

Digests what you eat.

It artificially digests the food and aids

Nature in strengthening and reconstructing the exhausted digestive organs.

It is the latest discovery in digestant and tonic. No other preparation can approach it in efficiency. It is safe and reliable.

Three times I have cured myself of dyspepsia.

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